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Appln. No.: 10/040,515

Filed: December 28, 2001

For: Combination Fitting

Attorney Docket No: 10541-759

Examiner: Michael A. Chambers

Art Unit: 3753

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## TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

## Attached is/are:

- ☒ Reply to Notice Of Non-Compliant Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.121  
☐ Return Receipt Postcard

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## REPLY TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.121

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed May 12, 2004, Applicant respectfully submits this paper comprising the following parts:

- I. Listing of Claims, beginning on page 2; and
- II. Remarks, beginning on page 11.

Applicant notes that the Transmittal to which this paper is attached includes a Certificate of Mailing under 37 C.F.R §1.8; and a fee statement calculating any fee(s) presently due in connection with the filing of this paper, along with an authorization to charge any fee deficiency to the deposit account of Applicant's assignee, Visteon Global Technologies, Inc., Deposit Account No. 06-1500.

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